



NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY WOMAN'S CLUB

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NEWSLETTER

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Message from the President:

Thank you for the opportunity to serve again this year as your president. I am very proud to be part of this organization and to work at NC State (since January 2000) as part of the Advancement team in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences – specifically working in donor relations, fundraising, and membership development for the JC Raulston Arboretum.

There are 17 new members who have joined NCSU-WC since last spring, and I look forward to getting to know each lady. I encourage all members to continue inviting other “women of NC State” to our meetings and to join this outstanding organization.

The club hosted a lovely reception in May that honored our new Chancellor’s wife, Susan Woodson. We are pleased that Susan will be our keynote speaker for the September 16 meeting. Susan is truly a woman of vision and accomplishment, so members (and their guests) will not want to miss this first meeting to kick off the start of a great year.

(President’s message continued on reverse side...)



NCSU Woman’s Club September 16, 2010 Meeting **11:30 a.m. ~ University Club’s University Room**

Program: “A Visit With Susan Woodson” **Susan Woodson, Speaker**

Annette Harrell, 1st VP, Program Chair; Edith Simpson, Reba Worsley, Co-Chairs; Media Hooks, Geneva Humphries, Marge Turner, September Hostesses (see separate list of all 2010-11 hostesses)

REMEMBER: If for some reason you need to cancel your September reservation, please call Geneva at 851-1249 no later than noon on Monday, September 13, or you will be expected to pay for the lunch.

A Sad Passing – Edythe Marie Brooks Chamblee

Edythe, a long-time NCSU Woman’s Club member, passed away at age 89, on April 26, 2010. Reba Worsley sent a card from the Club, and Douglas (Edythe’s husband) responded with a note of deep appreciation. Edythe was dedicated to her family, her church, and many other organizations and will be greatly missed. Memorial gifts to the Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment (update on the reverse) are a fitting way to remember Edythe and her years of service to the Club (see below).

RESERVATION AND DONATION FORM (SURVEY ON REVERSE)

Lunch Cost: \$15 per person. Checks payable to: NCSU Woman’s Club

Reservations (with payment) must be received no later than Thursday, September 9, 2010.

Mail to: Geneva Humphries, 913 Merwin Rd., Raleigh, NC 27606 (Phone 851-1249)

Number of Reservations (\$15 each) _____ Member Name _____

Phone: _____ Email _____

Guest(s) Name(s) _____

Gifts to the Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment (please complete one or more options):

\$_____ This gift is in memory of Eythe Chamblee. Please notify her family.

\$_____ This gift is in memory of _____.

Please notify _____

\$_____ This gift is in honor of _____.

Please notify _____

Total Amount Enclosed (reservations and donations) \$_____

President's message, continued...

Please allow me to give special recognition and my thank-you's to the many talented club officers who are helping to make this a great year. **Annette Harrell** (1st Vice-President) has worked to give us an outstanding line-up of programs for 2010-11; **Joy Frauson** (2nd Vice-President) has coordinated all of our membership records; **Jane Doby** (3rd Co-Vice-President) has once again published an outstanding yearbook; **Chris Wessel** (3rd Co-Vice-President) has taken over the very important job of editing and publishing our monthly newsletter; **Jackie Wynne** (Secretary) will organize and keep the executive committee minutes; and **Mary Liner** (Treasure) continues to prepare the budgets and count the money!

Other members who passionately serve our Club as committee chairs include: **Geneva Humphries** (Hostesses); **Barbara Dickey** (Name Tags); **Sarah Daniel** (Auditor); **Mary Rollins** (Communications); **Mary Lou Eycke**, (Constitution); **Hazel Cooper** (Courtesies); **Sue Banks** (Historian); **Nell Patty** (Interest Groups) **Sharda Sawhney** (Scholarship); **Nancy Devine** (Web site); and **Betsy Meldau** (Nominations). I also thank the members who signed up to serve on the various committees – including many of our newest members. What a great way to get involved and meet new friends! If you are not on a committee, please review the yearbook and contact one of the Chairs. There are opportunities for everyone!

Anne Porter, 2009-10 President

2010 Dates to Remember

- September 9 Reservations due for September 16 meeting and luncheon
- September 16 NCSU Woman's Club meeting : NC State First Lady Susan Woodson, Speaker
- September 17 October Newsletter Deadline (bring to the meeting or email chris_wessel@ncsu.edu)
- October 21 NCSU Woman's Club meeting: Coach Kellie Harper, Speaker

Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment and Club Fundraising



The NCSU Woman's Club/Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment's most recent summary received shows a market value of \$102,078 as of 3/31/10. The 2009-2010 award (\$4,335) went to Reema Alnizami, a senior with a major in Math Education. As everyone knows, the stock market has not been kind to endowments and other investments, and the Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment is no exception. The endowment did not produce enough income to make an award this year.

After careful review of the budget, the executive committee voted unanimously to give a minimum of \$2,000 from our Club's resources for funding the 2010-11 scholarship award. Scholarships are critical during these tough economic times, so we want to do everything we can to make sure our club supports our NCSU students.



2010 hat winner – Jo Ann Glover

We will continue to have our stylish “**\$\$ Hat Raffle.**” Raffle tickets will be sold at each meeting, with the final drawing to be held at the April meeting. (1 ticket for \$3 or 6 tickets for \$15) Remember, you may give a tax-deductible gift to this scholarship at any time! Be on the look-out for more fundraising information and opportunities!!

Member Survey

Favorite program from last year: _____

Suggestions for programs future years: _____

Can you help line up the program(s) you indicated above? ___ Yes ___ No

How many years have you been a member? _____

Who introduced/invited you to join? _____

What is the best benefit to you of your membership? _____

Other comments/questions: _____

